

Mental Health, Substance Use and related outcomes Covington County 2011

This report provides a summary of current prevalence and trends in Mental Health, substance use and related outcomes for Covington County, Mississippi.

Socio economic and Demographic Estimates

<i>Total population 2000: 19407</i> <i>Total Population 2010: 19568</i> %Females: 51.4	<i>Population % change: 0.8</i>
Race/Ethnicity % White: 63 % Black/African American: 34.9 % Asian: 0.2 %American Indian: 0.1 % Native Hawaiian: 0 % Hispanic Origin : 1.9 % Population not English Proficient :1.3	Socio-Economic Indicators % Rural: 100 Median household Income: 31178 % Below poverty level: 24.6 % Children in Single parent hhds:36 % Children in Poverty : 37 % on Free Lunch: Unemployment Rate: 8.3 High School Graduation (AGFR): 55
Age Distribution Median Age: % <5 years age: 7.3 % <18 yrs age: 26% Age >=65: 15.1	*County Health Rankings (2011) Health Factors: 52 Health outcomes: 43
Veteran population (2005-2009): 1727	

Mental Health Indicators

Mean reported mentally unhealthy days per month: 4.5 % adults without emotional or social support:31	

Substance Abuse and Dependence

Adolescents Past 30 day use Adolescents (2010) Alcohol: *** Tobacco:*** Marijuana:*** Prescription drugs:*** Other Illicit drugs:***	Rank highest Prevalence (1) to lowest (82) Alcohol Rank: *** Tobacco Rank: *** Marijuana Rank: *** Prescriptions Rank: *** Illicit Drugs Rank: ***	Adults % Adult Current Smokers: 27 % Excessive Drinking: 7 % Binge Drinkers: 6 % Past 30 day use of ATOD 12 or older:
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Total Substance Abuse Treatment Admissions (2010):393

Alcohol: **132** Marijuana: **37** Methamphetamine:**41**
Heroin: **11** Cocaine:**81** Other Opiates:**83**

Perception of Risk of harm among 6 th -11 th grade students			Perceptions of use by peers	
	slight/ moderate risk	Great risk	Percent Reporting use by at least one of their friends	
Taking one or 2 drinks nearly everyday	***	***	Alcohol: ***	
Trying one or 2 drinks of alcohol	***	***	Tobacco: ***	
Take four or five drinks nearly everyday	***	***	Other Drugs: ***	
5+ Drinks once or twice each weekend	***	***	Personal Approval	
1 or more packs of cigarettes per day	***	***	Percent reporting use is very wrong or wrong	
Use smokeless Tobacco regularly	***	***	Alcohol:***	
Try marijuana once or twice	***	***	Tobacco:***	
Smoke marijuana occasionally	***	***	Other Drugs:***	
Smoke marijuana regularly	***	***	Marijuana:***	
Try cocaine powder once or twice	***	***	Perceived Parental Approval	
Try crack cocaine once or twice	***	***	Percent reporting use is very wrong or wrong	
Try cocaine powder occasionally	***	***	Alcohol: ***	
Try cocaine powder regularly	***	***	Tobacco: ***	
Try crack cocaine occasionally	***	***	Marijuana: ***	
Try crack cocaine regularly	***	***		

Other Health Behaviors and Outcomes

% Adults reporting poor or fair health: 27
Mean physically unhealthy days/month: 5.5
Incidence rate of Liver Cancer(2004-2008) :
% Low birth weight: 11.4
Teen birth rate per 1000 female (15-19) : 72
HIV Rate/100,000: 219
Adult obesity: 38

******Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population

Crime

Homicides per 100,000 populations: 11
Total Juvenile Arrests:52

Mortality and Injury

Premature death^{**}: 10902
2011 MVC death rate/100,000: 47
Suicide related deaths:

Health care

Mental Health Region:12
% Uninsured Adults: 29
Medicare Enrollees: 3905
Number of Mental Health Providers:0

Data Sources:

Census Bureau, 2010; MS Department of Mental Health Substance Abuse Treatment data;
Robert wood Johnson Foundation, 2011 County health ranking data
Mississippi Smarttrack Survey, 2010

Note: All rates are per 100000. Rates are age-adjusted to the 2000 U.S. Standard Million Population.

Data accessed November 29, 2011. Based on data released February 8, 2011.

~ Counts are suppressed if fewer than 5 cases were reported in the specified category.

*** missing data or Counts < 15 (too few to calculate a stable age-adjusted rate)

The population estimates for 2005 are adjusted to account for population shifts due to Hurricane Katrina

